Adithinngithigh language

Adithinngithigh is an Australian aboriginal language once spoken in Cape York in Queensland.

There has been some confusion over the name:

> Given that Aditinngithigh and 'Arritinngithigh' seem to have been identified with only one estate each and the names are so similar, it might be tempting to consider their distinct spellings a mere artifact of the recording process, but the names are indeed distinct and moreover the relevant estate are noncontiguous and owned by different people.[2]

However, it is not clear how distinct the two varieties are.

Adithinngithigh	
Native to	Australia
Region	Cape York Peninsula, Queensland
Extinct	(date missing)
Language family	Pama–Nyungan ▪ Paman ▪ North Cape York ▪ Northern ▪ **Adithinngithigh**
Language codes	
ISO 639-3	`dth`
Glottolog	*None*
AIATSIS[1]	`Y229 (https://collection.aiatsis.gov.au/austlang/language/Y229)`

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